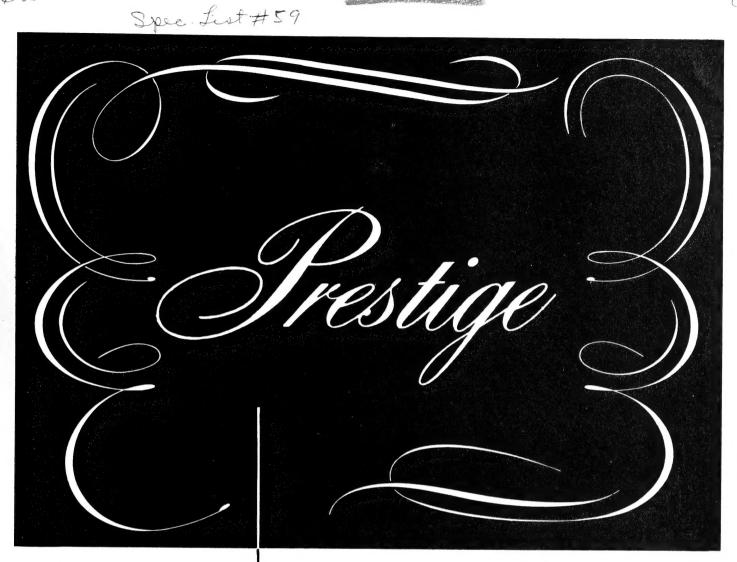
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A Special Listing of the
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Here is a listing made for the orchid grower who knows what he wants . . . the man who wants the best of its type. The varieties offered are for those who demand the rare and beautiful, not the ordinary.

This list, too, is for the serious hybridizer. Many of the world's most famous and hard to obtain parents are offered. The great hybrids of today and tomorrow are coming, and shall come, from these parents. Here are the tools with which to create crosses such as only those with vision, knowledge and the finest plants obtainable can create.

Here the grower of fine blooms for the cut flower market will find such things as California, 'Bountiful', Santa Barbara, 'Serenade' and Lillian Stewart, 'Delicata'. These are plants of excuisite cuality and at the same time, they are extremely heavy producers.

We offer plants in a wide range of types and price classes. Varieties are offered at from \$7.50 to \$500.00 a bulb. In many cases we have larger plants available of varieties offered. In some cases we have smaller divisions available, also.

This list is one of the most carefully selected groups of fine Cymbidiums ever offered. Such varieties as Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' have been unsurpassed for over 35 years. Others are the newest and brightest stars on the orchid world horizon - the leaders of tomorrow.

The inherent prestige of owning the true gems of the Stewart collection is available to you with the acquisition of such varieties as Lump 'O Gold, 'Glitter' AM/AOS or Paracel, 'Picture' AM/AOS. The varieties and types we list are many. We are confident you will find those plants you are seeking.

We will be happy to furnish any information which you may desire on these varieties.

All plants are offered subject to prior sale.

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- 1. ABONA, 'DUSKY MAID', (Letty x Toucan). You cannot believe how free flowering this variety is until you see a plant of it in bloom. The richly colored bronzy flowers carry reddish undertones. Lips barred almost blackish maroon. A compact grower, and especially to be recommended for breeding. One of the parents of Gladys Hamilton.
- 2. ALEXALBAN, 'THE BRIDE' AM/RHS, (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Albania, 'Pheasant's Eye' FCC/RHS. A very beautiful free blooming variety with large white flowers faintly flushed pale pink. Lip, blush white, very lightly spotted with soft purple. A strong grower and most striking when in bloom.
- 3. ALEXANDERI, 'CANTATRICE', (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Alexanderi, 'Album'). One of the nearest things we have seen in a Cymbidium that resembles a white Cattleya. We must say, too, this is one of the true top white Cymbidiums in cultivation. Flowers clear, sparkling white, of fine shape and excellent substance. The near white lips carry a light spotting of crimson on their side margins only. A strong grower and a free bloomer.
- 4. ALEXANDERI, 'WESTONBIRT' FCC/RHS #626, (eburneo-Lowianum, 'concolor' FCC/RHS x insigne var. Sanderae). A beautiful white tetraploid that is unsurpassed in the orchid world for the contribution which it has made to improvement in breeding. We guarantee this plant to be the true Westonbirt. 80 chromosomes.
- 5. ALEXFRIDA, 'PINK FROST', (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Elfrida). Like a white silk dress covered with a frosty pink veil is this feminine Cymbidium of delightful circumspect form. Not a bold pink, but an exquisite, delicately colored one with no trace of veination. A very dependable bloomer with around 10 flowers to the spray on a strong plant.
- 6. ALEXFRIDA, 'VIN ROSE' HCC/OSSC. It is really not necessary to describe the fine Alexfridas. The variety we offer here is one of the most intensely clear colored forms of this fine cross. The flowers are clear vin rose wine colored. A remarkably vigorous grower and extremely free blooming.
- 7. ALTAIR #852, (Pauwelsii, 'Comte d' Hemptinne' FCC/RHS x Pipit). The polyploid form of Altair, as here, has given a most unusual shade of old rose overlaid with a touch of coppery gold. Large flowers borne on a fine spike have excellent shape and substance. A very sturdy grower and free bloomer.
- 8. APOLLO, 'EXBURY' FCC/RHS, (Curlew x Miranda). Because of the brilliant coloring which Apollo, 'Exbury' has imparted to its many progeny, it stands unsurpassed as a yellow parent today. In right combinations, such as Lump O' Gold, Kinglet and other like crosses, the rich coloring of the Apollo parent has been combined with general all-around high quality. Buy this if you are breeding for quality and color. (Diploid 2n).

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- 9. AUREOLE, 'HEERMANS', (Alexanderi x Auriga). A lovely, large, light, clear lime green. The shapely yellow lip carries a generous solid maroon bar on its basal portions. We do not believe that Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' was used in this cross; however, it has good form. Flowers are beautifully spaced on a long spike. This variety has a tendency to flower quite on the late side, and for this reason is very useful. An excellent variety for display, cut flowers or breeding.
- 10. BALKIS, 'MONTECITO', (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Rosanna 'Pinkie' FCC/RHS). A proven tetraploid of excellent shape and substance that gives seed very freely, and is being used a great deal for breeding. Actually, on comparison, this variety resembles its Rosanna, 'Pinkie' parent very strongly and favorably.
- 11. BALKIS, 'SILVER ORB' AM/AOS, SILVER MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY, (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Rosanna, 'Pinkie' FCC/RHS). Balkis, 'Silver Orb' now stands uncontested as the foremost Cymbidium parent in the world today. Happily, it has combined the best qualities of its two illustrious parents. What is even more important is that it has been the means whereby a breakthrough to uniformly superior Cymbidiums has been obtained. New horizons are being opened through the use of this parent. Cymbidiums with flowers of larger size, better average shape, and richer average coloring are now obtainable in quantity and uniformly high quality.

Another happy characteristic of progeny from this great Cymbidium is their apparent great freedom of bloom. Such 'Silver Orb' crosses as #1480, Lillian Stewart; #1506, Lillian Stewart; #1476, Arabian Nights; #1463, San Francisco and #1445, Edna Cobb, are now considered standards of excellence in the Cymbidium world. Their all around quality and free blooming habits are unsurpassed.

Though very few divisions of this famous plant, understandably, are in cultivation, discriminating connoisseurs and far thinking hybridists now recognize possession of this plant as a prerequisite to a good collection.

Of great importance as a breeder is 'Silver Orb's' ability to transmit to its progeny the tendency to flower in a minimum of time from the planting of the seed. We are flowering seedlings in less than 4 years.

- 12. BENGAL BAY, 'BENARES', HCC/ODC, 1958, (Profita, 'Mardi Gras' Bronze Medal Cymbidium Society x Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS). One of the finest forms of this grand new Stewart bred cross. Flowers are large, of noble proportions and heavy substance. The color is difficult to describe, being an irridescent combination of orange and gold with light pink-bronze overlay. Fine spike habit and excellent vigor.
- 13. BLUE QUEEN, 'TIFFANY' HCC/AOS, (Queen Mary AM/RHS x Blue Smoke). The only cross ever registered from Queen Mary AM variety. The variety offered here, we feel, surpasses its illustrious parent for richness of coloring and spectacular solid red lip. This variety is illustrated in the October, 1958, Cymbidium News.

- 14. BLUE SMOKE, 'BEVERLY GLEN' 2n, Bronze Medal Cymbidium Society, (Lowianum, 'Pitts' x Mirabel FCC/RHS). Distinctly one of the most outstanding forms of this fine green cross and the only one which has received an award from the Cymbidium Society. Sepals and petals vivid clear, medium green with yellow lip generously barred maroon. A very sturdy grower and most impressive when in bloom. Has been used by us for breeding.
- 15. BLUE SMOKE, 'PERNOD', (Lowianum, 'Pitts' x Mirabel FCC/RHS). Blue Smoke is synonymous with vigor and free flowering qualities among knowledgeable Cymbidium growers. The flowers are about 3½" across, of clear pernod green. The yellow lips have a solid maroon bar. This cultivar has been used by us to make several of our crosses such as San Francisco.
- 16. BODMIN MOOR, 'GREEN FINCH', (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Erica Sander). Happily, the clear light green coloring of the Erica sander parent has shown up in this, which we consider to be one of the finest Bodmin Moors. The light yellow lip is moderately spotted crimson. If you like clear, light greens, this will be a favorite with you.
- 17. BODMIN MOOR, 'MARIE JANETTE', (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS -x Erica Sander). A pure, glistening white of excellent shape and heavy substance. The shapely lips are lightly shaded and blushed canary yellow in their throats. A strong grower and an excellent producer.
 - 18. BODMIN MOOR, 'SHAMROCK', (Alexanderi, 'Album' x Erica Sander, 'Cascade'). Really one of the loveliest Cymbidiums in our entire collection. The shapely flowers are clear light greenish yellow, and of excellent substance. The ochre yellow lip is in beautiful balance, and has no other lip markings. A strong grower and a very reliable bloomer.
- 19. BULLFINCH, 'SWALLOWTAIL' AM/RHS, (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Garnet). One of the loveliest of all Cymbidiums which we have seen. We must list this as one of the best in our entire nursery. The clear canary yellow flowers are freely carried on long, arching sprays. The yellow lips are almost the same color as the flower itself. Very strong growing and a free bloomer.
- 20. CALCUTTA, 4n, Fine Pink Variety, (Pauwelsii, 'Comte d' Hemptinne' FCC/RHS x Babylon, 'Castle Hill' FCC/RHS). Calcutta is another new tetraploid cross of ours derived from two of the most famous Cymbidium parents. Selected forms, as the variety offered here, are excellent for cut flower production, exhibition or breeding.
- 21. CALIFORNIA, 'EUREKA' HCC/AOS 1958, (Blue Smoke, 'Calumet' x Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS). We are the originators of the cross California, which has been repeated by many growers throughout the country. The variety 'Eureka' is a massive, shapely flower of beautiful pink coloration. Unquestionably one of the finest forms of this famous cross.

- 22. CALIFORNIA, 'GOLD STRIKE'. Distinctly one of the most beautiful and desirable clear, bright yellows we have in our collection.
- 23. CALIFORNIA, 'OPALINE'. A very lovely, shapely, clear light cream. The flowers carry just a suggestion of pink overtones, and have an opalescent quality from which it derives its name.
 - 24. CALIFORNIA, 'PINK BOUNTIFUL'. One of the top half dozen of our famous California cross. Flowers of this variety about 4 to $4\frac{1}{6}$ inches across, borne up to 16 on a stem. This plant on first bloom had 5 bulbs and 4 spikes with 60 blooms!
 - 25. CALIFORNIA, 'PINK PEARL'. Another outstanding pink form of this famous cross.
- 26. CALIFORNIA, #3046. If you are searching for a brilliant, clear yellow, this shapely flower fills that need. There are very few brilliant, clear yellows available in any hybrid.
- 27. CARIGA, 'SAHARA', (Carlos x Riga). Selected forms of Cariga are unsurpassed for their brilliant yellow coloring. We rate this clone as an excellent diploid parent to use for breeding color.
- 26. CARROL, #972C, (Alexanderi, 'Albens' x eburneum). A lovely large white throughout, with little, if any, lip coloring. Just a tinge of yellow in the throat. A diploid that will contribute compact growth habit, pure white coloring and number of spikes, to a hybrid in which it is used. Because of the eburneum, bears from 3 to 6 flowers to the spike.
- 29. CHIRON, 'OLIVE' X SHEILA #1772. A vivid orange-red which we rate very highly as a parent because of its intense coloring. The yellow lips are barred dark maroon. A terrific bloomer.
- 30. CLARE ARMSTRONG, 'ROBIN HOOD', (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Mirella, Green Variety). This famous cross bred by Armstrong and Brown in England is very outstanding for its large flowers and spectacular bloom habit. The variety 'Robin Hood' is a clear light green, has excellent shape and fine substance.
- 31. CLAUDONA, 'LESH'S', 2n, Bronze Medal Cymbidium Society, HCC/OSSC. (Claudette, 'Invicta' x Cremona FCC/RHS). A well grown plant of this variety is actually a flower show in itself. The beautiful greenish-yellow flowers range up to 5 inches. The yellow lips are barred and mottled reddish maroon. This is the seed parent of our #1473 cross, Manila.
 - 32. CLAUDONA, 'REGAL' FCC/RHS, 2n. Unquestionably the most striking and spectacular form of this world famous cross. The very large flowers are bold green with light bronze overtones. The color of sepals and petals varies according to the amount of shading. The cynosure of all eyes, of course, with this variety, is the enormous striking lip which is almost entirely dark crimson maroon. We find this variety is a very strong grower and a free and reliable bloomer. Very useful as a bold lip parent.

- 33. CYGNUS, 'CONSTELLATION', Bronze Certificate Variety, (Alexanderi 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Coningsbyanum, 'Brockhurst' AM/RHS). Here is one of the most outstanding forms of this grand cross. The white flowers are borne on long arching sprays. Many of the Cygnus have a tendency to flower somewhat on the early side.
- 34. DAINTY, 'SKY ROCKET', 2n, (Luminous x Lyoth, 'Rinconada'). Get this for a pink parent with a fine, erect spike habit. The second parent had a spike 6 feet high, which happily, it has imparted to a considerable extent to Dainty. Foliage narrow and erect after insigne blood. Very useful parent.
- 35. DORAMA, 'TALISMAN' HCC/AOS 1958, (Dorchester, 'Alpha' AM/RHS x President Wilson). Here is a breakthrough in Cymbidium breeding that could provide some of the great things of the future. This splendid tetraploid bears very large, shapely, creamy yellow flowers of excellent substance on long, strong spikes. The yellow lips carry a solid red-maroon bar on their margins. This plant when in bloom catches all eyes, no matter how large a display it might be in. We rate this as one of the great Cymbidiums of today and future years.
- 36. DORCHESTER, 'ALPHA' AM/RHS, (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Tityus). While it is difficult to get seed from Dorchester, 'Alpha's' hybrids have been quite remarkable. Flowers large, white, of excellent substance. The lip very shapely, barred dark maroon crimson. While a triploid, it gives some seed. We have found some of its progeny, as Dorama, to be tetraploids.
- 37. EDNA COBB, 'APRICOT', (Profita, 'Mardi Gras' Bronze Medal Var. x Balkis, 'Silver Orb' AM/AOS). This grand new Balkis, 'Silver Orb' hybrid has given us some of our finest, new, richly colored Cymbidiums. Strong growing and free blooming.
- 38. EDNA COBB, 'DISTINCTION'. The fine varieties of this cross, as represented here, have characteristically very large flowers, close to 5", excellent shape and are well carried on a strong spike. This fine, light yellow variety has exceptionally clear coloring, and is one of our very finest.
- 39. EDNA COBB, 'GOLDEN GLORY', Edna Cobb is now rated as one of the great new modern crosses. The variety here is a glorious, bright yellow gold of large size and fine shape. The fine yellow lip has a generous crimson spotting and striping on its margin.
- 40. EDNA COBB, 'GLORIOUS', BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY 1958. On a strong plant and with good culture, this beautiful yellow-apricot is sure to get an even higher award than the coveted Bronze Medal which it received as a first bloom seedling. Happily, it has inherited the erect spike and excellent arrangement of flowers on the inflorescence from its two famous parents. Most striking quality of Edna Cobb, 'Glorious', however, is the massive shapely character of its flowers. The generous lip is moderately spotted crimson along its margin and side lobes.

- 41. EAGLE, 'HERITAGE', (Eagle, 'Eyrie' x Eagle, 'F.K. Sander').

 A wonderful squarish flower which we used to breed our famous #1383, Jungfrau cross. Flowers light pink, of good shape, well carried on erect spike. A diploid with 40 chromosomes.
- 42. ESMERELLA #1592, 2n, (Esmeralda AM/RHS x Angela). The seed parent of our #1592 cross in which Balkis, 'Silver Orb' was used. The clear, apple green flowers of this variety are carried in long, cascading sprays. The ochre yellow lips are in delightful harmony to the sepals and petals. Plant is a compact grower, a free bloomer and has the tendency to flower somewhat on the late side, which is a valuable breeding characteristic.
- 43. EVE, 'FICTION', (Rosanna, 'Pinkie' FCC/RHS x Flamingo). Very large and excellent shaped flowers of pale pink coloring. Considered by many to be larger and a more open flower than Rosanna, 'Pinkie'. This will be of interest to the breeder.
- 44. FALCON, 'GOLDEN TOUCH', (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x President Wilson). Few Cymbidiums can compare with this luminous golden yellow of exceptional clarity when it is flowered on a strong plant. This is for the exacting person who must have the finest of its type.
- 45. FANTASIA, 'PINK PEARL', (Babylon, 'Carpentiers' x Susette, 'Perfection' AM/RHS). While most of the Fantasias have come in the raspberry shades, the variety offered here is an exceptionally shapely, pearly pink. The plant is a very sturdy grower, and especially striking when in bloom.
 - ... 46. FASCINATION, 'RED KNIGHT', (Joyful x Constance Flory). Here is a great step ahead in the breeding of red Cymbidiums. The flowers of 'Red Knight' are intensely dark maroon red and of excellent shape and substance. We recommend this to the breeder who is looking for a diploid parent with a maximum of red genes, and also to the connoisseur who wants a fine red.
- . 48. FASCINATION, DARK REDDISH BROWN. We are listing a small group of Fascinations so as to provide a range of colors from which to select. Brown flowers scarcely exist in nature, yet they are a superb development.
 - 49. FASCINATION, CHOCOLATE BROWN. The variety offered here is more of a chocolate brown than red. Flowers about 3½" to 4" across. Good shape. Adds a note of sheer distinction and contrast to your collection!
 - 50. FLAMINGO, 'NOBILIOR', FCC/RHS, (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Merlin). A very famous parent, though must be used carefully because of it's cytology. A pentaploid with 100 chromosomes. Flowers of remarkably good shape and heavy texture. Sepals and petals white, strongly blushed pink. Perhaps it's most striking quality, however, is the bright red bar on the margin of the lip, which it imparts to many of its progeny.

- 51. FURNACE, 'BURGUNDY', (Alexanderi, 'Roseum' x Sparta). The variety of Furnace which we offer here is the best of a group of this cross which we have flowered. Flowers of very good shape and substance. Sepals and petals intense, dark burgundy red. The shapely lip carries an even darker band on its margins.
- 52. GEORGE LYCURGAS, (Maya x Apollo, 'Exbury' FCC/RHS). While this cross is not too well know, a number of the finer forms are rated as some of the best early flowering greens in cultivation. We like this selected variety for the especially clear vivid color.
- 53. GRETA, 'ICHOR' BRONZE CERTIFICATE, OSSC, (Baldur x Ceres). Considered by Mr. H. G. Alexander, who made this hybrid, to be the best of the cross. The lovely, large, blush pink flowers carried on strong, erect spikes. Strong grower and a free bloomer.
- 54. HANBURYANUM, 'MAGNIFICUM' AM/RHS, (erythrostylum x Traceyanum). Although many other earlies have now replaced this famous plant, we recommend this to the student of breeding who wishes to continue further work with it. Flowers fawn yellow. Compact grower, free blooming, from September to December.
- 55. HARMACHIS, 'GLEN', BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY, (Curlew x Flamingo). One of the most beautiful and distinctive Cymbidiums of its coloration which we have in our entire nursery. The large, shapely, heavy textured flowers are carried on a strong stem. The color varies from rich yellow to golden orange, depending on cultural conditions.
- 56. INDEPENDENCE DAY, 'YORKTOWN' AM/AOS, (Butterfly, AM/RHS x Rosanna, 'Magnolia'). A most noteworthy variety that has gained an excellent name for itself among Cymbidium connoisseurs and commercial growers. The large flowers open clear, light greenish—yellow and mature to a lovely, irridescent yellow. The canary yellow lips are moderately spotted and speckled maroon. This variety has very erect spike habit and compact, erect growth.
- 57. JANETTE, 'MEM. MRS. A. MCBEAN' FCC/RHS, BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY, (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Joy Sander). Though this splendid variety has been in cultivation for a number of years, it is still what we would rate as a very fine Cymbidium. The massive, shapely flowers are rich apricot yellow and are well carried on a strong spike. "Mrs. McBean" is much rarer in cultivation than it's companion, Mem. A.A. McBean. We recommend this to the very exacting collector who must have the finest Cymbidiums obtainable.
- 58. JENA BAILEY, 'CITRON', (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Ruskin, 'Majestic'). Variety Citron has delicate smooth yellow flowers of fine shape carried on a strong spike. We used an illustration of this variety on the cover of our Cymbidium catalog #21.

59. JOAN OF ARC, 'LOOKOUT', AM/AOS, BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY. (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Balkis, tetraploid.). As is typical of plant breeding, research must ever continue for new and superior parents. Selected forms of Joan of Arc, as offered here, represent the highest development in line breeding from Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt'. A splendid white of great value for exhibition and breeding.

LILLIAN STEWART, #1480 (Balkis, 'Silver Orb' AM/AOS x Carisona, 'Glendessary')

We wish to call special attention to the selected fine varieties which we offer here of this grand new Stewart cross. In the short time that has elapsed since the first seedling plants were exhibited, its rise to fame has been the talk of the orchid world. One First Class Certificate, & Awards of Merit, and over a dozen other high awards have been granted plants of this cross, all of which were first bloom seedlings. We are confident that as plants of this cross reach full maturity, many of them shall win the highest awards of the orchid world.

- 60. LILLIAN STEWART, 'AMAZON'. As the name implies, we have a fine pink variety noted for the exceptional size of its flowers. Amazon has the great vigor, fine spike habit, clear pink coloring and large size that could earn it a high award.
- 61. LILLIAN STEWART, 'BALLERINA'. As is typical of the very best varieties of Lillian Stewart, 'Ballerina' has very good shape. The creamy white flowers are well spaced on an erect stem. Vigorous and free flowering. Lip attractively spotted crimson.
- 62. LILLIAN STEWART, 'CAMEO' HCC/AOS 1958. An outstanding variety. The beautiful white flowers have a blush of cream and are of outstanding shape. The well balanced lips carry a delicate pink border on their margins. Flowers well spaced on stems.
- 63. LILLIAN STEWART, 'CAPRICE' HCC/AOS, 1958. If you like them white and large, 5" or larger, this should be a must. On first bloom in the Spring of 1958, this plant had a magnificent spray of award quality flowers, each flower perfectly spaced on a fine, erect spike.
- 64. LILLIAN STEWART, 'CONTRAST'. Orchid fanciers are ever eager for something new, distinctively different and beautiful. Variety 'Contrast' has light pink sepals and petals with unusual darker pink margins. A great favorite at the shows when shown on first bloom.
- 65. LILLIAN STEWART, 'DELICATA' HCC/ODC 1958. A very distinctive and beautiful variety. Flowers are freely borne on long, strong spikes, and are of good size and shape. Flowers are white with delicate blushing, the lip of which is generously shaded clear, rich yellow. Get this if you wish an awarded plant that pays well in flowers for its keep.

- 66. LILLIAN STEWART, 'FASHION'. This is typical of the superior forms of this splendid new cross to which we assign distinctive varietal names. The exquisite pink flowers are very large, of excellent substance and fine shape.
- 67. LILLIAN STEWART, 'HEAVENLY ROSE'. If you like large flowers on long, strong spikes, and of very strong vivid pink-rose color, this is a must. Of award caliber.
- 68. LILLIAN STEWART, 'LADY FAIR'. The flowers of this variety are of exceptionally fine shape, pure white with very remarkable substance. Though we have not submitted this for judging as yet, we feel it is definitely of award caliber.
- 69. LILLIAN STEWART, 'LIP STICK'. An imposing variety that bears a strong, erect spike of shapely pink flowers, the lips of which carry a lipstick red bar on their margins.
- 70. LILLIAN STEWART, 'LONESTAR'. A very large fine variety named for a Cymbidium fancier customer of ours in Texas who purchased a division of this fine pink when in bloom.
- 71. LILLIAN STEWART, 'LOVE SONG' BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY 1958. One of the most outstanding forms of this world famous cross. The large, pink flowers are of splendid shape and are well carried on an erect spike. The lips are moderately spotted crimson throughout. We look for a higher award on a larger plant of this variety.
- 72. LILLIAN STEWART, 'MADONNA'. A very beautiful pink with the fine shape and heavy substance typical of the best named varieties of this cross. The delicately rose blushed and spotted lip is a great part of the charm of variety 'Madonna'.
- 73. LILLIAN STEWART, 'NOCTURNE'. A percentage of the seedlings which we have flowered have favored the dark rose Carisona parent in their coloration. 'Nocturne' is among the darkest we have flowered to date. The lip is a striking dark rose.
- 74. LILLIAN STEWART, PERFECTION' AM/AOS, 1958. In our mind, this is the finest form yet flowered of Lillian Stewart, which is recognized as the World's finest and most awarded new Cymbidium cross. The massive character, and yet delicate beauty, of the lovely pink flowers of this variety place it in the class of the all-time greats. The large, shapely lips are moderately spotted rich dark red maroon. As a 2 bulb first bloom seedling in the Spring of 1958, it received its Award of Merit from the American Orchid Society. At that time also, it was judged to be the best orchid, all genera, at the Watsonville Orchid Show, March, 1958. We offer the entire stock of this plant, consisting of a strong 3 bulb plant well established in 10" redwood tub. On a mature plant this variety could well win a First Class Certificate.

- 75. LILLIAN STEWART, 'PINK SPINEL'. A medium size flower of great vigor and floriferousness. The heavy textured flowers are vivid, dark pink as is the gem stone from which it gets its name. This is really a bright, gay variety that will appeal to those who want lots of clear pink flowers. The lips are barred even darker rosered.
- 76. LILLIAN STEWART, 'POWDER PINK'. As the name implies, a powder pink form. Fine large size flowers of excellent substance.
- 77. LILLIAN STEWART, 'SEA SHELL'. A large, especially clear, light pink flower of sea shell pink coloring as the name implies. Flowers about 5" across, flat, and of open shape, as is desired by so many cut flower growers. Blooms of this variety will probably fetch top prices on the cut flower market.
- 78. LILLIAN STEWART, 'VESPERS'. This is a flower for those who like clear, smooth coloring and delicate blending of colors. 'Vespers' is a shapely delicate white of lovely form with exquisite shading of pink on the margins of the lip.
- 79. LILLIAN STEWART, 'Violet Rose'. A small percentage of Lillian Stewarts we have found come with violet shading after the Carisona, 'Glendessary' parent. Most Unusual flowers of very good shape and substance.
- 80. LUMP 'O GOLD, 'GLITTER' AM/AOS BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY, (Apollo, 'Exbury' FCC/RHS x Pearl, 'Mastiff'). Few Cymbidiums can equal this splendid variety for sheer brilliance of color, and general all around quality. Flowers are rendered even more striking by the intense red coloring of the shapely lips. Plant bears from 10 to 14 flowers on a long, strong spray. We place this in a class with Hawtescens FCC/RHS as an all time great for color.
- 81. LYOTH, 'ROSY MORN' FCC/RHS, (Ceres x insigne). A primary hybrid which we feel has considerable value because of its unusual coloring. The erect spike bears medium sized shapely pink flowers with strong violet blue overtones. This should appeal to the serious hybridist who is striving for a break-away in color.
- 82. MANDALAY #3009, (Blue Smoke x Moonstone). 2n. Here we have a relatively new cross that is most outstanding in the green section. The flowers of this selected variety are large, good, clear chartreuse green. The yellow lip carries a bright red band on its margin. This variety is excellent for exhibition, cut flower or breeding.
 - 83. NAM KHAN, 'BOREALIS', (Pauwelsii, 'Comte d' Hemptinne' FCC/RHS x Rosanna, 'Pinkie' FCC/RHS). Another grand form of this famous tetraploid cross. Flowers large and shapely. Of delicate cream pink coloring. Shapely lips are generously marked and barred maroon. We especially recommend this to the breeder who is searching for a new and fine tetraploid parent.

- 84. NAM KHAN, 'LITA' AM/AOS, 4n, BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY. We consider 'Lita' to be the finest form of the cross. 'Lita' has a very sturdy, erect spike habit and earries up to 22 well spaced beautiful creamy pink flowers to the spray. The yellow lip has reddish maroon on its margin. We recommend this especially to those who are doing breeding, though it is magnificent for exhibition, also.
- 85. NORTHERN LIGHTS, 'DAYBREAK', SILVER MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY, (Giant Rose x North 'Ampliatum'). Though this has been generally sold as Northern Lights, we feel that it is a very fine form of Cymbidium Santa Barbara, (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' x Charm). The plant is a strong grower and a very free bloomer, being somewhat on the early side. The heavy textured, lovely, clear, shell pink flowers are well carried on erect spikes. The light yellow lips are crimson spotted and show definite erythrostylum influence. Excellent for cut flower and display.
- 86. PARACEL, 'PICTURE' AM/AOS, 2n, BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY, (Mildred Hunter x Clarissa). Considered by many to be one of the most outstanding Cymbidiums in cultivation at the present time, and especially valuable because it is a diploid. A really gorgeous deep pink that bears long, arching sprays of flowers, each flower perfectly placed on the stem. The heavy textured blooms carry light cream lips with a generous amount of crimson and dark maroon on the basel portions. A very strong grower and a free bloomer. The top promise for this variety, in our estimation, lies in its ability as a parent. In proper combination we feel some of the great new crosses of the next few years will come from Paracel, 'Picture' AM variety.
 - 87. PARACEL, GOOD WINE COLOR. There are three qualities which this particular clone has which we feel are outstanding. The plant is a free grower and freely produces long, arching sprays of rich, wine colored flowers. On the average, the Paracels are inclined to flower about 2 months before the main season. It is valuable both from a cut flower standpoint, and from the standpoint of breeding earliness.
 - 88. PERI, 'DISTINCTION', BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY, (Pauwelsii, 'Comte d' Hemptinne' FCC/RHS x President Wilson, 'Westonbirt' AM/RHS). Of the many hundreds of fine Feris we consider this to be one of the 6 best. The massive golden bronze flowers are well carried on long, strong spikes. A fine grower.
 - 89. PROMONA, 'CONQUEST', (Cremona x Profusion). Here is another stud diploid that rates very high on our list. The shapely rosepink flowers are borne in remarkable profusion. The creamy yellow lips have an exceptionally large dark maroon band on their margins. Get this if you are working for pinks, production and lip markings.

- 90. PRESIDENT WILSON, 'SPRING GOLD' BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY, (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Lowianum). We believe we have sold more divisions off this particular clone than any Cymbidium in our entire nursery. Extremely vigorous and free blooming. The long, erect spikes bear from 12 to 15 rich, yellow flowers with maroon barred lips. Get this for a dependable free bloomer in a golden yellow. Plant has fine erect spike habit.
- 91. PRINCESS ELIZABETH, 'BRITANNIA', (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Princess Astrid, 'Bellissima'). A magnificently proportioned white flower of exceptional substance. The shapely lip carries a distinct bright band of crimson maroon on its margins. There are many fine Princess Elizabeths, however, this must be rated as one of the half dozen best in existence. In recent years we paid \$600.00 for our stock of this plant.
- 92. PRINCESS ELIZABETH, 'MALTA' AM/AOS BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY. The variety 'Malta' is among the loveliest of this wonderful white cross. Flowers large, of excellent substance and fine shape. The absolutely erect flower spikes carry their blooms perfectly placed around the spike. The large lips are beautifully shaded light pink.
- 93. PRINCESS ELIZABETH, 'PINK CLOUD' BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY. A really splendid large, shapely white with delicate blush overtones. Has the square shape of the fine Princess Elizabeth.
- 94. RAMELY, 'AMBER GREEN', (Shirley tetra x Ramboda). Another of the early flowering greens that are noted for their clear coloring, great vigor and extremely free flowering qualities. A house filled with Cymbidiums such as this variety and Sussex Moor, 'Green Mist' would provide some quite startling figures to show how profitable Cymbidiums can be from a cut flower standpoint.
- 95. RAMLEY, 'RAPTURE'. Another lovely light green form of this fine polyploid cross. Unusually well formed for a green.
- 96. REMUS, FCC/RHS, (Regulus x Joyful). We quote several prominent English growers as describing this to be the "king of reds". A very shapely dark red. Interestingly, this shares Joyful as a parent with the new red cross, Fascination. Far superior to many of the famous reds.
- 97. RIO RITA, 'RADIANT' FCC/RHS 2n, (Pearl, 'Magnificum' FCC/RHS x Ruby). A diploid of remarkable quality that is gaining in stature as a parent. The lovely flowers are of clear, light pink coloring and are of excellent shape. The shapely lips are generously marked dark rose. A somewhat early bloomer which should be very useful.
- 98. ROSE, 'PINK SATIN', (Olympus, 'Rosy Queen' x Susette). An exquisite light rose variety that carries its squarish, shapely flowers beautifully spaced on an erect spike. The color here is of exceptional clarity.

- 99. SAIGON, 'CHERRY', (Carisona, 'Glendessary' x Peregrine). Perhaps the brightest red of all the Saigons; a cheery, cherry red. Plant a very compact grower, flowers not large but freely borne on numerous sprays. Fine for breeding. This is a favored parent with us.
- 100. SAIGON, 'RED FLARE'. Perhaps the largest and darkest of the Saigons. As is typical of the cross, the plant is a compact grower and remarkably free flowering. Do not overlook this quality in evaluating a diploid to use for breeding.
- 101. SAIGON, 'VIVID'. We especially recommend our red Saigons to the breeder who is looking for good red diploids for breeding. 'Vivid' is a strong grower and a very free bloomer. The shapely flowers are of medium size and vivid rose red coloring. The lip here, as with other Saigons, is barred solid dark maroon red.
- 102. SAN FRANCISCO, 'BODEGA BAY', (Blue Smoke, 'Pernod x Balkis, 'Silver Orb' AM/AOS). A new and very distinctive form of this remarkable new cross. Flowers are very shapely, yellow with light pink overtones. The lip is the most striking part of this flower, however. The generous yellow lip is marked with a beautiful band of rose which shades off into the lip as though painted in water color.
- 103. SAN FRANCISCO, 'GOLD DUST'. This shapely, richly colored Cymbidium has the golden yellow coloration which we expected in more San Franciscos. The vigorous plant bears a fine, strong spray of shapely, heavy textured flowers. The lips are in fine balance and are barred dark maroon.
- 104. SAN FRANCISCO, 'NOB HILL'. Best described as a beautiful, shapely white, almost identical in general appearances to its famous Balkis, 'Silver Orb' parent. Plant is a strong grower, and remarkably free blooming.
- 105. SAN FRANCISCO, 'STRAWBERRY HILL'. As the name implies, a large, shapely light ice cream pink form of this new cross. This particular variety has been popular with growers who like exhibition quality combined with fine vigor and production.
- 106. SANTA BARBARA, 'PATINA', (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' x Charm). A fine white variety of this noteworthy cross. 'Serenade' and 'Patina' are so similar as to be extremely difficult to differentiate as far as descriptions are concerned. Somewhat early and very free blooming.
- 107. SANTA BARBARA, 'SERENADE'. We are especially fond of the Santa Barbaras because they have inherited the superior quality of the 'Westonbirt' parent with the tendency to flower early from the Charm. Flowers of this variety porcelain white with cream lips spotted crimson. First rate for exhibition or cut flowers.

- 108. SUNTAN, (Candace x Pixie, 'Carpentiers'). A fine chocolate colored variety with flowers of good shape which are freely produced. This will add wonderful contrast in your collection. Remember, a top collection cannot have everything in your favorite color.
- 109. SURABAJA, 'DUSKY MAID' (Sussex x Pixie, 'Carpentiers'). One of the most outstanding forms of our well known dark bronze cross. Large flowers of excellent shape and substance. The yellow lips are barred almost a blackish maroon.
- 110. SUSSEX MOOR, 'GREEN MIST', (Sussex x Bodmin Moor). Sussex Moor, 'Green Mist' is one of the rare Cymbidiums that combines fine flower quality with exceptional flower production. This variety averages about 15 flowers to the spray and produces so heavily that we at Stewarts consider it somewhat rhenomenal. A 5 bulb plant this spring carried 75 flowers.
- 111. SUSSEX MOOR, 'REMBRANDT'. Unless you are very partial to certain colors, we feel you will like this variety if you wish balance in your collection. Flowers of excellent shape and good substance. Arching sprays bear about 10 to 12 rich yellow flowers that are beautifully overlaid with copper. Fine yellow lips are generously spotted and banded red maroon.
- 112. SWALLOW, 'CENTENNIAL BELLE', BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY, HCC/ODC, (Pauwelsii, 'Hercules' x Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS). One of the most distinctive forms we have in our collection of this world famous cross. Flowers large, exceptionally shapely and heavy textured, light yellow on maturity with fine crimson band on lip. Compact grower and a very reliable bloomer. The connoisseur who likes a perfectly shaped flower will favor this variety that once graced the cover of our Cymbidium catalog.
- 113. SWALLOW, 'METEOR', (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Pauwelsii, 'Comte d' Hemptinne' FCC/RHS). This noble variety bears a massive spray of splendid, large, creamy yellow flowers. When well grown, the flowers average around 5 inches. A tetraploid, and very useful for breeding.
- 114. SWALLOW, 'SOUTHERN STAR'. A very shapely light pink tetraploid which we used to make our fine new cross Coral Sea.
- 115. VALE OF KASHMIR, (Blue Smoke 'Calumet' x Claudona 'Glendessary'), Bronze Medal Cymbidium Society). While a variable cross, the selected variety which we offer here is among the finest greens we have in our collection. Practically all Kashmirs are free blooming and bear up to 20 flowers to the spray.
- 116. VALE OF KASHMIR. This variety has a fine spike habit. The flowers are medium forest green with yellow lip heavily barred crimson.
- 117. VALE OF KASHMIR, 'Forest Glen'. An especially shapely named variety of this cross. Flowers squarish bright forest green; yellow lip, barred crimson. Flowers carried on long arching sprays.

- 118. VALE OF KASHMIR, large good shape, light green. Another outstanding form of this well known Stewart bred green cross.
- 119. VERULAM, 'SUN BELLE', (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Tracyanum). A happy combination of the desirable qualities of these two famous parents. The very large clear yellow flowers open two or three months before the main season. The cut flower producer will be especially pleased with this variety because the flowers bring a high price on the early market.
- 120. VERULAM 961. Another yellow form of this grand early flowering 'Westonbirt' cross. Very strong growing and a reliable bloomer.
- 121. YORK, 1323-66, (Shina Black x Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS). A very large, heavy textured, clear white. The flowers are well carried on a strong stem. This plant averages about 12 flowers to the spike. We especially recommend this to the cut flower grower.

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PRICE LIST TO ACCOMPANY SPECIAL LIST #59

- SPRING 1959

No.	Name	Price Per Bulb
1.2.3.45.6.78.910.11.	ABONA, 'DUSKY MAID'	
12. 13. 14.	BLUE QUEEN, 'TIFFANY' HCC/AOS BLUE SMOKE, BEVERLY GLEN' BRONZE MEDAL	\$ 50.00
15. 16. 17. 18. 19.	BLUE SMOKE, 'PERNOD' BODMIN MOOR, 'GREEN FINCH' BODMIN MOOR, 'MARIE JANETTE' BODMIN MOOR, 'SHAMROCK'	- \$ 10.00 - \$ 20.00 \$ 20.00
21. 22. 23. 24. 25. 26. 27.	CALCUTTA	\$ 55.00 \$ 20.00 \$ 20.00 - \$ 22.00 - \$ 15.00 - \$ 40.00
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40. 41. 42. 43. 44. 45. 46.	EDNA COBB, 'GOLDEN GLORI'	\$100.00 \$ 15.00 \$ 12.50 - \$ 35.00 - \$ 75.00 - \$ 10.00 \$ 50.00

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490.1. 553.4. 555.5. 567.8.	FASCINATION, DARK REDDISH BROWN FASCINATION, CHOCOLATE BROWN FLAMINGO, 'NOBILIOR' FCC/RHS FURNACE, 'BURGUNDY'	- \$ 12.50 - \$ 25.00 \$ 35.00 \$ 17.50 - \$ 17.50 - \$ 15:00 \$ 20:00
59 601. 62. 63. 645. 667. 690.	JOAN OF ARC; 'LOOKOUT' AM/AOS BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY	\$ 50.00 \$ 50.00 \$ 60.00 \$ 75.00 \$ 70.00 \$ 30.00 \$ 25.00
71. 72. 73. 74.	LILLIAN STEWART, 'LOVE SONG' BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY	\$100.00 \$ 40.00 \$ 35.00
75. 76. 77. 78. 79.	LILLIAN STEWART, 'POWDER PINK'	\$ 35.00 \$ 20.00
81. 82. 83. 84.	CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY	\$100.00 \$ 15.00 \$ 17.50 \$ 20.00
85.		\$ 50.00
86.	PARACEL, 'PICTURE' AM/AOS BRONZE MEDAL	\$ 35.00
87. 88.	CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY	\$150.00 \$ 22.50
89. 90.	PERI, 'DISTINCTION' BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY	\$ 20.00
91.	PRESIDENT WILSON, 'SPRING GOLD' BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY FRINCESS ELIZABETH, 'BRITANNIA'	\$ 15.00 \$ 75.00

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92.	PRINCESS ELIZABETH, 'MALTA' AM/AOS BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY	. #	35.	00
93 •	PRINCESS ELIZABETH, 'PINK CLOUD' BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY	. \$	20.	00
94. 95.	RAMLEY, 'AMBER GREEN'		20.	00 00
96. 97.	REMUS, FCC/RHS	• \$	25.	00
98. 99.	ROSE, 'PINK SATIN'	* # #	20.	00
100.	SAIGON, 'RED FLARE'	⊕ ⊕	35.	00
101.	REMUS, FCC/RHS RIO RITA, 'RADIANT' FCC/RHS ROSE, 'PINK SATIN'	÷ 66 +	17.	50
103.	SAN FRANCISCO, 'GOLD DUST'	**	30.	00
105. 106.	SAN FRANCISCO, 'STRAWBERRY HILL' SANTA BARBARA, 'PATINA'	\$	25.	00
107. 108.	SAN FRANCISCO, 'STRAWBERRY HILL'	9 63	10.	.00
109. 110.	SURABAJA, 'DUSKY MAID'	€%-::	50.	.00
111.	SUSSEX MOOR, 'REMBRANDT' SWALLOW, 'CENTENNIAL BELLE' BRONZE MEDAL	• \$	12.	50
113.	SWALLOW, 'CENTENNIAL BELLE' BRONZE MEDAL CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY HCC/ODC	₩ ₩	10.	.00
114.	SWALLOW, 'SOUTHERN STAR'	- \$	15. 15.	00.
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